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1. EMB INFORMED DUTCH MFA POLITICAL DIRECTOR RUTTEN
OF SUBSTANCE REFTEL. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, FOREIGN
MINISTER HAS EXCLUSIVE RESPONSIBILITY FOR FOREIGN
AFFAIRS, POINT WHICH RUTTEN MADE AT ONCE BUT THEN
NOTED THAT PRIME MINISTER DEN UYL HAD ATTENDED NATO
COUNCIL WHEN FORMER PRESIDENT FORD PARTICIPATED.

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2. RUTTEN SAID MATTER WOULD BE TAKEN UP URGENTLY WITH
FOREIGN MINISTER AND PRIME MINISTER AND HE COULD LET US
KNOW OUTCOME. SPEAKING PERSONALLY HE EXPRESSED SOME
DOUBT WHETHER ONE-DAY MEETING WOULD PERMIT USEFUL
EXCHANGE OF VIEWS. HE ADDED THAT DUTCH MIGHT RELATE
ATTENDANCE AT NATO COUNCIL TO OUTCOME OF PRESENT

CONTROVERSY OVER REPRESENTATION OF COMMUNITY AT LONDON
SUMMIT.

3. WITH RESPECT TO SUBJECTS THAT MIGHT BE DISCUSSED
RUTTEN HOPED EAST-WEST RELATIONS AND HUMAN RIGHTS
ISSUES WOULD BE INCLUDED.
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